

To honor those fallen in line of duty

By LISA BICKNELL

CV&T News Editor

“Every profession has its value, but we are here to honor those who sacrificed their lives,” said Irvine Mayor W. J. Noland as he addressed those gathered for the annual Law Enforcement Memorial service at the courthouse on Friday, May 15. It was Noland’s first memorial as mayor.

Irvine Police Chief Brad Smith also expressed appreciation for those who came to the memorial service as he reminded them that the ultimate sacrifice has too often been paid by members of local law enforcement agencies throughout Estill County’s history.

Smith read a brief narrative explaining how “the end of watch” came for each law officer

listed on the memorial in front of the courthouse.

Their stories remind that even the most “routine” calls can be dangerous and unpredictable.

On Sunday, March 22, 1857, Sheriff James M. Land and Deputy Jessie Arvin were shot and killed by a prisoner near Old Landing while they were taking the man to jail. The suspected shooter was convicted of both murders and

was hanged on May 29, 1857.

On December 12, 1899, Irvine Marshall T. Edgar Park was shot and killed while attempting to arrest a man who was creating a disturbance. Despite being mortally wounded, Marshall Park was able to return fire and wounded the subject.

Deputy Sheriff Henry Thomas Reed and Chief of Police Robert Philpot, both of the Irvine Police

Department were shot and killed on August 21, 1920, after being confronted by a special officer after arresting a man for bootlegging.

The special officer demanded that the prisoner be released. As they argued with the officer, a crowd developed and the prisoner’s family was able to take

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Photos by Lisa Bicknell

Pictured above left, from left to right on front row, are Constable of District 1 Ricky Williams, Officer Aaron Curtis, K-9 Officer Karl Rifembark, Officer John Sturniolo and Ravenna Police Chief Ken White. In the back row, from left, are Police Chaplain Chris Carlyle, Irvine Police Chief Brad Smith, Captain Adrian McKinney, and Sergeant Michael Gross. Above right, Mayor W.J. Noland speaks at the Law Enforcement Memorial as mayor for first time.



Drug Court Works

Former Judge Jones, who presided over the Drug Court program for 8 years, was present at the graduation as guest speaker this year. The new Judge, Michael Dean, presided over his first graduation. Former graduates, some of their children and current graduates gave very touching speeches. They reminded us that Drug Court saves lives and changes families. Pictured left to right are the Honorable Judge Michael Dean, who now presides over Drug Court; Graduates Roger Harvey and Jared Mays; Program Supervisor Wilma Spicer; Graduates Trina Dixon, Stevie Lemaster, Jessica Estes, and Wendy Herald; and Honorable Thomas Jones, who was guest speaker at this graduation. Drug Court promotes, enhances and supports the restoration of lives and the reduction of recidivism through judicial oversight and behavior modification.

Submitted by Wilma L Spicer, Program Supervisor
Lee, Estill, & Owsley Drug Court

Early Deadline

Because of the upcoming Memorial Day holiday and the subsequent printing schedule, the deadline for all submissions of ads, letters, social events, pictures, obituaries, etc., is Friday, May 22, at noon. Have a safe and happy Memorial Day weekend!

Estill man charged with distribution of child porn

(Irvine)- On May 13, 2015, at approximately 4 p.m., the Kentucky State Police Electronic Crime Branch, assisted by KSP Post 7-Richmond and the FBI, arrested Alexander A. Ramos, 31, of 358 Dry Branch Road, for charges related to distribution of matter portraying a sex performance by a minor.

Ramos was arrested as the result of an undercover Internet Crimes Against Children investigation. The

KSP Electronic Crime Branch began the investigation after discovering the suspect sharing images of child sexual exploitation online. This included videos of sexual acts involving children.

The investigation resulted in the execution of a search warrant at Ramos’ residence on May 13, 2015. Equipment used to facilitate the crime was seized and taken to KSP’s forensic laboratory for examination. The

investigation is ongoing.

Ramos is currently charged with 20 counts of distribution of matter portraying a sex performance by a minor. Each count is a Class D felony, punishable by one to five years in prison.

Ramos was lodged in the Estill County Detention Center. He was later released on a \$5,000 cash bond.

Richardson to sign book in Ravenna Saturday

“Fodder on the Ground,” an autobiography of Don Richardson as told to Kyle Sowers will be available at Michael’s Restaurant in Ravenna at a book signing event this Saturday, May 23, from 5 to 7 p.m.

The book can be purchased for \$25, and Don and the author will be available to sign them.

Don Richardson coached baseball at Madison Central High School for 35 years, in a career that began in 1957. While at Central, Don won 962 games, including the 1982 state baseball championship. His 1982 team had a record of 40 and 0 and was named National Champions.

In 1986, Don was honored as the National Coach of the Year, becoming the only coach to receive the National Coach of the Year Award as voted by the national Baseball Coaches

Association. Don was elected to the Kentucky Baseball Coaches Hall of Fame in 1998. Three years later, in 2001, he elected to the Kentucky High School Athletic Association Hall of Fame. Don also won 350 games as basketball coach while at Central.

“Fodder on the Ground” is dedicated to his wife, Anne. She died from cancer in 2009. Anne was the love of his life.

“It was an honor to do the life story of Don Richardson. He wanted the book to be informative, positive, and funny,” said co-author Kyle Sowers.

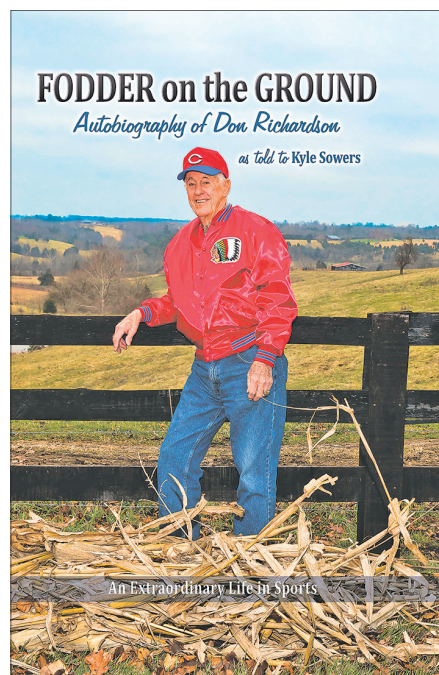


Photo submitted

Don Richardson will be signing a book about life and baseball coaching at Michael’s in Ravenna on Saturday. Kyle Sowers wrote the book.

“Nearly half [the book] is filled with interviews from former players and coaches, including legendary UK coach Joe B. Hall. I would gather various interviews and material, and then

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Kentucky inventor, former trooper, to exhibit “Santino Spaghetti Sauce” at 30th Anniversary of America’s Largest Invention Show

PITTSBURGH ... InventHelp’s INPEX, America’s Largest Invention Trade Show, announces that Tom Stevens, from Irvine, KY, has invented a savory new spaghetti sauce. This invention will be exhibited at INPEX 2015, June 16-18, in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. Busy families are no strangers to whipping up pre-packaged meals. Many of those meals come out of bags, boxes and jars. The easiest of all meals is the classic spaghetti dish, but making the meal stand out is all in the sauce. Instead of going for the everyday bland brands, one inventor, Tom Stevens, took to his family’s creation, “Santino Spaghetti Sauce,” which ultimately became a hit with his entire neighborhood. Stevens, a retired Kentucky State Trooper, has been making Santino

Spaghetti Sauce for over 25 years. He cans it at home in mason jars and shares it with family friends and even strangers. His customers always return for more and praise him for the superb flavor. His highest nod was from his grandmother who comes from a line of cooks. She told him of all the sauces she has tried, his was the very best. Stevens began this endeavor because of his love for cooking. “I love to cook for my girls,” said Stevens. “Over the years I perfected my spaghetti sauce to a science. I’m inspired by the love of home cooked meals.” Stevens is exhibiting at INPEX with the hopes of finding a manufacturer, distributor, venture capitalist, licensor, or importer/exporter. INPEX is a unique trade

show that showcases new products and innovations that are available to business and industry to manufacture, license or distribute. INPEX brings business representatives and inventors together in one convenient forum. This year, the show is proud to announce AJ Khubani, founder and CEO of the original As Seen on TV company, Telebrands, as the 2015 keynote speaker. INPEX 2015 will be held at the Monroeville Convention Center, and will be held Tuesday through Thursday to accommodate business travelers. INPEX is a service of InventHelp, a leading inventor service company. For more information about this inventor or INPEX, call 888-54-INPEX or visit www.inpex.com.

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him from the officers. A resulting shootout ended with the deaths of both Reed and Philpot. Both the special officer and a brother of the prisoner were arrested and charged with murder. On May 27, 1922, Ravenna Police Chief James Sexton was shot and killed while attempting to arrest a man for assaulting his wife. The man pulled out a handgun and shot Sexton three times. He then took Sexton’s gun from its holster and shot him once more with it. The suspect was arrested and charged with murder. On May 8, 1928, Sheriff Arthur J. Brookshire was shot and killed by bootleggers during an investigation. He and the Irvine Police Chief had stopped a couple on horseback and the sheriff asked to search the wife’s saddlebags. The husband refused to allow the officers

to search the bag without a warrant. The Irvine chief returned to town to obtain a warrant, and as he returned with another deputy, they heard several gun shots. When they arrived back at the scene, they found Sheriff Brookshire dead. The suspect was apprehended and sentenced to death in May 1928. The Sheriff was survived by his wife, who was appointed to serve her husband’s remaining term as sheriff. On February 7, 1928, Estill County Constable Bud Isaacs was shot and killed near Blue Banks while attempting to arrest a suspect who had failed to appear in court. The main suspect was never tried for his murder. Constable Isaacs was survived by his wife and eight children. On June 1, 1934, Patrolman George Carroll, with the Irvine Police Department, was shot and killed during a shootout between a suspect and other officers. He and several other officers and deputies

were chasing a group of four men. Patrolman Carroll was shot in the head and killed when he jumped on the running board of the vehicle the suspects were driving. The four suspects were eventually apprehended. On June 27, 1959, Ravenna Police Chief William Page Mason was shot and killed while attempting to make an arrest. The suspect was also shot and killed. Chief Mason had only served in law enforcement for two years. On February 16, 1986, Irvine Police Chief Robert Taylor Walker was shot and killed while responding to a call. It was later determined that the call had been placed to lure him to the scene with the intent to ambush him. The suspect was sentenced to 25 years to life in prison. He was denied parole in March of 2011 and will be eligible for parole again in 2016.

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Don would give me more names of people to contact.” “More than sports, the reader will have a ‘lesson in life’ with nearly every turn of the page. His 15 years spent as a classroom teacher

afforded Don an extra view into the minds of students he taught. Clearly, he was a Hall of Fame coach. But, I believe the way Don lived his life and cared for those around him, makes us all better for knowing him,” said Sowers.

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Hospital CEO thanks EMS

May 17-23 is EMS Week and I would like to take this chance to recognize a very important partner of Marcum & Wallace Hospital...our local ambulance service. The employees of EMS put in long hours and sleepless nights taking care of the needs of our community. They are dedicated to providing care to our community; 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 days a year. And for that I want to say, thank you. Thank you for your time, compassion, and devotion to patient care. Thank you for taking time away from your families to keep trucks on the streets for our communities 24/7/365. When my family member was in an accident, it was reassuring to me to know

that the Estill County EMS responded because I knew that he would get the highest quality of care. I know you often risk your safety to provide quick-thinking, life-saving care. I appreciate your commitment to your important work...a vital service to our community. Thank you “first responders” for your hard work in our community. I encourage everyone reading this to thank an EMS provider today. With sincerest thanks, Susan Starling, Marcum & Wallace Hospital, President & CEO

Drivers can expect delays



Drivers using KY 594 (Red Lick Road) in Estill County should expect delays at milepoint 9.4 on Thursday, May 21. A drainage pipe will be replaced at this location, just north of Murphy's Ford Road. One lane of traffic will be maintained, but lengthy delays are possible. Around 600 vehicles use this stretch of highway per day.

ESTILL COUNTY SCHOOLS

South Irvine P-K Center

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Kindergarten

2015-16 School Year

Estill County Schools will have **Kindergarten Registration and Screening** for the 2015-16 school year at **South Irvine P-K Center** -- 1000 South Irvine Road. In order to be eligible for Kindergarten, the child must be 5 years old by October 1, 2013. State law requires children to attend school if they will turn 6 on or before October 1.

Registration/Screening Dates

Tuesday, May 26th 9:00 am to 2:00 pm

Thursday, May 28th 2:00 to 7:00 pm

Friday, May 29th 9:00 am to 2:00 pm

CALL 723-4700 to schedule an appointment time!

It is important to bring your child to registration as he/she will be screened at that time. The developmental screening will involve your child in several learning activities. Through these activities we will examine his/her developmental status in areas such as general knowledge, hand-eye coordination, as well as school knowledge (e.g., shapes, colors, letters). While your child is completing the screening process, we will ask you to complete paperwork. The screening session will last approximately 30 minutes.

You will need to bring the following documents:

Official (with the State seal) Birth Certificate from the State in which child was born (cannot accept hospital copy)

1. Up-to-date Kentucky Immunization Record (The immunization certificate must have all immunizations listed with their dates. The state will not allow the school to accept a partial immunization certificate.)
2. Current Physical
3. Eye Exam (must be completed by January 1, 2016)
4. Dental Exam (must be completed by January 1, 2016)
5. Court documents pertaining to your child (if applicable)

*****Your child cannot start school without an Up-to-date KY Immunization Record and Current Physical*****

Aquatic weeds can create problems in ponds



ERIC BAKER
*County Agent for
Agriculture and Natural
Resources*

As the spring temperatures increase, aquatic weeds increase growth and can create problems for many recreational pond owners. Rooted aquatic vegetation does furnish habitat for small aquatic animals and increases available food. Vegetation also provides small fish with cover to hide from predators. However, if left unchecked, weeds can take over the entire pond and remove the nutrients required for phytoplankton production. Aquatic weeds can be controlled manually

or by chemical and biological means. Manual control of plants like cattails is only practical when they first appear. Woody vegetation along dams can be successfully controlled by hand. Chemical control is possible with herbicides. However, many herbicides are not approved for aquatic use and the weeds in question must be accurately identified. Herbicide applications may cause oxygen depletions. Oxygen depletions often occurs following herbicide application during hot weather in ponds with heavy weed overgrowth. You can contact me at the Extension office or a fisheries biologist for plant identification and herbicide recommendations. Whenever applying chemicals, protect yourself and others. Carefully follow label instructions. One of the simplest and most economical long-term methods of controlling rooted aquatic vegetation in new or recently treated ponds is to stock grass carp. The grass carp

or “white amur” is an Asian carp brought into the U.S. for aquatic weed control. Once they reach a length of 10 inches, these fish are primarily herbivorous. They do not stir up bottom mud like common carp or disturb the nests of other fish. During warm weather, grass carp can consume quantities of weeds equaling 30-40% of their body weight, daily. Grass carp are considered good eating by many people. Grass carp prefer flowing water and will swim over a pond spillway if given the opportunity. An escapement barrier can be placed across the spillway to prevent that from happening. Only sterile, triploid grass carp may be stocked in Kentucky. The number of triploid grass carp that should be stocked depends on weed species and the magnitude of the problem. With a new pond or minor weed problem, five grass carp per acre will suffice. If the weed problem is moderate, stock 12-15 grass carp per acre. Ponds supplied by large springs

remain cool and require additional grass carp for effective weed control. If the pond contains large bass, purchased grass carp fingerlings must be longer than 8 inches because bass will eat small grass carp. NOTE: Grass carp and sport fish can be purchased through various vendors. Our local Conservation District office will have a Fish Sale Friday, May 29, 2015, in the District parking lot, 3 to 3:30 pm. This will be the only fish sale the District is holding this year. Order forms can be picked up at the Conservation District office or you can place your order by calling 606-723-5104. Payment for fish is due upon delivery. For more information about aquatic weed identification/controls or pond management, contact the Estill County Extension Service at 723-4557. Educational programs of the Kentucky Cooperative Extension Service serve all people regardless of race, color, age, sex, religion, disability or national origin.

SCHOOL MENUS

Elementary Breakfast

Monday, May 25- Mini Maple Waffles, apples, syrup, juice and milk.
Tuesday, May 26- Toast, Cinnamon Toast Crunch cereal, grapes, juice and milk.
Wednesday, May 27- Strawberry pop tart, Cocoa Puffs cereal, fruit cocktail, juice and milk.
Thursday, May 28- Chicken patty on biscuit, applesauce, juice and milk.
Friday, May 29- Muffin, pineapple tidbits, juice and milk.

South Irvine

Monday, May 25- Chicken tenders with roll, mashed potatoes, green beans, applesauce, and milk.
Tuesday, May 26- Pepperoni pizza, steamed broccoli, corn, grapes, and milk.
Wednesday, May 27- Chicken Patty on bun, baked beans, cole slaw, banana, and milk.
Thursday, May 28- Corn dog, grape tomatoes, potato smiles, peaches, mustard, ketchup, and milk.
Friday, May 29- Pizza Munchable, marinara sauce, baby carrots, raisins, and milk.

Estill Springs

Monday, May 25- Chicken tenders with roll, mashed potatoes, green beans, applesauce, and milk.
Tuesday, May 26- Pepperoni pizza, steamed

broccoli, corn, grapes, and milk.
Wednesday, May 27- Chicken pattie on bun, baked beans, cole slaw, banana, and milk.
Thursday, May 28- Corn dog, grape tomatoes, potato smiles, peaches, mustard, ketchup, and milk.
Friday, May 29- Pizza Munchable, marinara sauce, baby carrots, raisins, and milk.

West Irvine

Monday, May 25- Popcorn Chicken with roll, mashed potatoes, baked beans, pears, ketchup, BBQ sauce, and milk.
Tuesday, May 26- Cheese pizza, corn, fresh broccoli, blueberries, ranch dip, and milk.
Wednesday, May 27- Hamburger on bun, lettuce, tomato, pork & beans, strawberry cup, ketchup, mustard, and milk.
Thursday, May 28- Pepperoni calzone or meatball sub, stir fry vegetables, cauliflowerer and grape tomatoes, mandarin oranges, ranch dip, and milk.
Friday, May 29- Hot dog on bun or Mr. Ribb on bun, potato smiles, carrots with dip, blackberries, ketchup, mustard, and milk.

Middle School

Monday, May 25- Breakfast: Mini Maple Pancakes with syrup, Cinnamon Toast Crunch cereal, brown sugar cinnamon pop tart, apple, juice and milk. Lunch: Chicken tenders with texas toast or buffalo chicken tenders with texas

toast, sweet potatoes, green beans, apples or mandarin oranges, BBQ sauce, ketchup, light ranch, and milk or juice.
Tuesday, May 26- Scrambled eggs and toast, Cocoa Puffs cereal, strawberry pop tarts, pineapples, milk or juice. Lunch: Stuffed-crust Cheese Pizza or Taco snax, romaine salad, grape tomatoes, corn, grapes or pineapples, light ranch dressing, milk or juice.
Wednesday, May 27- Breakfast: Biscuit with gravy, trix cereal, brown sugar cinnamon pop tart, peaches, juice and milk. Lunch: Hamburger on bun or Mr. Ribb on bun, lettuce, tomato, potato wedges, peaches or banana, ketchup, mustard, light mayo, milk or juice.
Thursday, May 28- Breakfast: Mini blueberry pancakes with syrup, Trix cereal, raisin bran cereal, brown sugar cinnamon pop tart, mixed fruit, juice and milk. Lunch: Chicken patty on bun or fish on bun, mashed potatoes, steamed broccoli, mandarin oranges or pineapples, ketchup, mustard, tarter sauce, milk or juice.
Friday, May 29- Trix yogurt, cinnamon toast crunch cereal bar, Reese Puffs cereal, strawberry pop tart, peaches, juice and milk. Lunch: Hot dog on bun or Deli Turkey on bun, pork & beans, lettuce, tomato, oranges or tropical fruit, ketchup, mustard, light mayo, milk or juice.

High School

Monday, May 25- Breakfast: HoneyNut Cheerios, Fruit Loops, Frosted Flakes, pop

tart, strawberry banana yogurt or triple cherry yogurt, apple and orange, juice and milk. Lunch: Hamburger on bun or chicken patty on bun, lettuce, tomato, potato wedges, peaches, tropical fruit, juice and milk.
Tuesday, May 26- Breakfast: Cocoa Puffs, Lucky Charms, pop tart, breakfast pizza, raspberry or cherry yogurt, apple and orange, milk and juice. Lunch: Taco with shell, or chicken fajita with shell, lettuce, tomato, cheese, refried beans, salsa, pineapples, Side Kicks, juice and milk.
Wednesday, May 27- Breakfast: Cinnamon Toast Crunch cereal, Apple Cinnamon Cheerios, pop tarts, cereal bars, sausage biscuit, strawberry banana or raspberry yogurt, apples and oranges, juice and milk. Lunch: Chicken tenders with roll or spicy chicken tenders with roll, glazed carrots, green beans, mandarin oranges or pears, juice and milk.
Thursday, May 28- Breakfast: Trix cereal, Fruit Loops, pop tarts, cereal bars, mini pancakes, raspberry yogurt, apples and oranges, juice and milk. Lunch: Chicken patty on bun or corn dog, baby bakers, corn, red pepper slices, oranges, apples, juice and milk.
Friday, May 29- Breakfast: Reese Puffs cereal, cocoa puffs, pop tarts, cereal bars, Mini French Toast, cherry or raspberry yogurt, apples and oranges, juice and milk. Lunch: hot dog on bun or Mr. Ribb on bun, baked beans, potato wedges, applesauce, peaches, juice and milk.

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VIEWPOINTS

Fracking raises risk of Radon poisoning

*by Robert W. Shaffer
Berea, Kentucky*

Lexington Energy intends to begin hydraulic fracturing, or fracking, in the Red Lick Valley of Estill and Madison Counties when the way is clear.

This is one of the most picturesque places in Kentucky. According to a recent report, Lexington Energy has submitted 18 leases to the Madison County Clerk's office, covering an estimated 1,900 acres.

Before this happens, the citizens of these counties and the state of Kentucky need to know three basic facts about fracking:

- 1) Fracking increases the amount of Radon gas in the atmosphere.
- 2) Radon gas, produced by the radioactive decay of uranium, is poisonous and causes lung cancer.
- 3) Radon gas is second only to smoking as the leading cause

of lung cancer in the world. According to the National Cancer Institute it causes 15,000-22,000 deaths from lung cancer each year in the United States.

Confirmation of these facts can be found by an online computer search for "hydraulic fracturing and radon gas."

The people of Kentucky can prevent fracking in Red Lick Valley and elsewhere.

Consider what happened in Estill County in 1996-97. In May of 1996 Ashland Oil and Waste Management announced a plan to dispose of 90,000 tons of radioactive soil from their Ashland operations in Waste Management's Blue Ridge Landfill in Irvine, Kentucky.

Dorothy Gregory and another Estill County woman determined to prevent this from happening. They decided to organize the

Action Committee for the Citizens of Estill County. They did not consider the enormous odds against winning, a battle of two major multi-million dollar corporations. They asked me to become their spokesman.

At that time, I was chairman of the board of Estill County's 21st Century Inc., an economic development corporation, now Estill Development Alliance. At that time, my wife and I lived on a farm in Red Lick Valley.

Committed to non-violence, we held rallies, picketed the landfill, met with newspaper editors, state and local officials, and religious leaders. We successfully urged the Estill County Fiscal Court, and the Irvine and Ravenna Town Councils to adopt resolutions opposing the disposal plan.

In June 1996, I presented an Action Committee resolution

to Transylvania Presbytery calling on the governor to disapprove the dumping plan. The Presbytery consisted of lay and minister representatives from 99 Presbyterian Churches in central and eastern Kentucky. The resolution was adopted.

In mid-July 1997, the people WON. Waste Management and Ashland Oil withdrew the plan. It was another case of David defeating Goliath.

The Citizen's Voice and Times played an important part in this victory by providing fair and accurate news stories and well-reasoned editorials.

If two women in a small eastern Kentucky county can form a citizen's organization that ends up convincing two major corporations to abandon their harmful plans, it can happen again to prevent fracking in Red Lick Valley.

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Robinson: Memorial Day, a time to remember



By Al Robinson
US Senator

FRANKFORT – Monday, May 25, many of us will have the day to get together with family and friends, and maybe enjoy a cook out, or some time at the lake. Many will take flowers to graves of our loved ones and remember those who have gone on before us.

However, that day will also require us to pause and remember

the men and women who have lost their lives defending our nation and our liberty. Memorial Day comes from a tradition of decorating the graves of soldiers who died during the Civil War, and was originally called Decoration Day. Since that time, the practice has become a Federal Holiday to honor and remember the countless men and women who have died serving the U.S. in all wars.

This year, a new memorial will be dedicated in Frankfort. The Kentucky National Guard Memorial is engraved with over 200 names of National Guard members who have died in service since 1912, five of whom are from Laurel and Estill Counties. I will be in attendance as the Chairman of Veterans, Military Affairs and Public Protection (VMAPP) Committee joining the Governor, the General of the

Kentucky National Guard, and family members of the deceased. The ceremony will be at the Boone Center on May 25 at 2:00 p.m. and is open to the public.

In our Senate District, many have served in the U.S. Armed Forces, and we also have sons and daughters who currently are protecting our freedom. Kentucky has been integral to our nation's defense and continues to send courageous men and women to serve in our military.

Memorial Day is also special to me because my role as an elected legislator is directly made possibly as a result of our fight for independence, liberty and system of government. It is especially significant when I think about the veterans I serve as Chairman of VMAPP. I hear about the many issues and needs of our servicemen and women, as well as

the incredible accomplishments they achieve, and I work hard to support them.

I invite and encourage you to participate in a Memorial Day Service in your community. You will be enriched by it and have the opportunity to pay respects to our soldiers who made the ultimate sacrifice. Have a safe and wonderful Memorial Day Weekend.

Senator Albert Robinson (R-London) represents the 21st District comprised of Laurel, Jackson, Estill, Powell, Menifee and Bath counties. He Chairs the Veterans, Military Affairs, and Public Protection Committee and serves on the Banking and Insurance Committee, the State and Local Government Committee, the Transportation Committee.

Amtrak, Donald Trump, China, an expanding monster

By Glenn Mollette
CV&T Guest Columnist

I am sad for the eight people and their families who died and the many others injured because of the recent Amtrak disaster. Tragedy can happen regardless of ownership. I wish we didn't own Amtrak.

Our federal government should get out of the train business. Amtrak is another government failure. The Government owns Amtrak and has since 1971. Our federal government has sunk 45 billion dollars into Amtrak since then while each year it loses hundreds of millions of dollars. Over the next five years we are scheduled to sink another 7 billion dollars into Amtrak.

Most Americans will never ride Amtrak yet we subsidize every

ticket. The average ticket price from Washington, D.C. to New York is \$69. Taxpayers (you) also subsidize each ticket by about \$60. This means every time a person from the Northeast corridor buys a train ticket it costs you \$60. Most of the people riding Amtrak in Philadelphia, New York and D.C. are not America's poor. The highest paid people in America live in this section of the United States. Americans pour billions of dollars into train travel that less than ten percent of Americans will ever use.

The government could save us a lot of money and headaches if they would give Amtrak away. Possibly they could give it to Donald Trump. Trump seems to make a lot of money. Maybe he could straighten it out. At least he would get it out of America's hair.

Possibly we could give it to Wal-Mart? I'm not a Wal-Mart fan but they do make money. Maybe they could make Amtrak better. Maybe we could just give it to China? Now, there is an idea. We owe China more money that we can stuff into all the Amtrak cars lined up from D.C. to New York City. Let's give them Amtrak as payment for what we owe them. I don't

day. Our country has a full plate. We should get this monster off our plate.

Glenn Mollette is an American columnist and is read in all fifty states. He is the author of eleven books. This column does not necessarily reflect the view of any organization, institution or this paper or media source.

It's Not All About Organic

*By Brian Depew
Center for Rural Affairs*

A growing number of people equate sustainable farming with organic farming. That's a mistake. At the Center for Rural Affairs we look beyond labels and focus on core values - stewardship, community, and ownership. We ask if a farming system protects the land, water, and how it impacts community, and if it encourages widespread ownership.

We champion organic family farming. Many organic farmers are innovators in practices that protect the environment. Premium prices for organic products have kept countless farms profitable. We've also harshly

criticized corporate organic - farms that meet the letter of the organic labeling law, but otherwise look like industrial operations.

Similarly, painting all conventional producers with one brush overlooks critical differences.

Among conventional, family-size farmers are many ardent conservationists who maintain grass waterways, buffer strips, terraces, and shelterbelts that reduce erosion, limit runoff, and provide habitat.

Innovative farmers are employing cover crops and no-till to enhance soil health. This practice represents a convergence of the best from organic and non-organic practices.

Other conventional farmers who do use

chemicals are also implementing innovative management strategies to reduce cost, weather drought, and build soil health.

Farmers adopting these practices are using careful management in the field as an alternative to expansion.

This means more farmers on the land, controlling their destiny and rising to meet the most pressing stewardship challenges of our time.

In an era where climate change is the most critical challenge facing farming, farmers who embrace these values may hold the key to achieving widespread change across the landscape.

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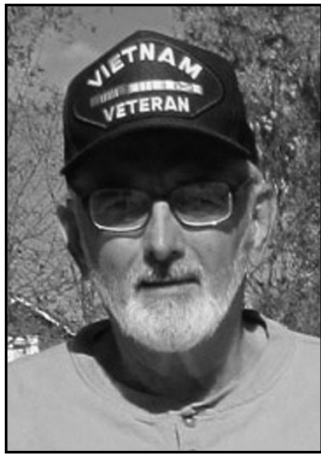
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Memorial Day (or Decoration Day?)



By Jerry Eltzroth
CV&T Guest Columnist

Memorial Day has its roots entwined in the Civil War. Union General John A. Logan called for a nationwide day of remembrance which he called Decoration Day. “The 30th of May, 1868, is designated for the purpose of strewing with flowers, or otherwise decorating the graves of comrades who died in defense of their country during the late rebellion, and whose bodies now lie in almost every city, village and hamlet churchyard in the land,” he proclaimed.

By 1890 each of the Northern states had made Decoration Day an official state holiday. Southern states continued to honor their dead comrades on separate days.

Decoration Day gradually became to be known as Memorial Day. During World War I, Memorial Day evolved to commemorate American military personnel who perished in all wars. Memorial Day should not be confused with Veteran’s Day. Memorial Day is a day of remembering the men and women who died while serving their country. Veterans Day celebrates the service of all military veterans, living and dead. In 1968 Congress passed the Uniform Monday Holiday Act. As a part of that legislation, Memorial Day was proclaimed an official federal holiday and designated to be observed the last Monday in May. Each year on Memorial Day a national moment of remembrance takes place at 3 p.m. local time. The Stars and Strips are placed at all veterans’ graves by military service organizations, scouts and other volunteer groups. On the wall next to the Estill County High School gym entrance is a plaque that lists all the Estill County veterans that perished in WWI, WWII, Korean War, and Vietnam War. Check it out sometime. You may have a relative listed who should be remembered.

Since this is the sesquicentennial observance of the end of the Civil War, those veterans should receive recognition as well. The Civil War veterans’ graves are sprinkled throughout our county. As you walk through a cemetery you will see their markers; however, not all have markers indicating they were veterans of the Civil War era. Some are buried in remote areas and receive little recognition. I have 4 great, great grandfathers who served with the Union forces during the Civil War. Amazingly they all survived the war. Two of them, James B. Dickinson and Andrew Jackson Estes, are buried on Cob Hill. Aaron Floyd is buried at Sand Hill Cemetery. I have yet to find the grave of the fourth—Andrew Jackson Smithers.

There is a Civil War veteran buried on a farm under the canopy of a big hickory tree near our place. A few years ago a family member came inquiring as to the site of Sgt. Jacob O. Tester’s grave. They asked Charles Begley and Charles did not know the whereabouts of the grave. Jennings Adams came by shortly after the relatives left. Charles told Jennings of their search. Jennings found the relatives and brought them back to the grave. After hearing of the grave, Bonnie and I found it and cleaned

around the site. Agnes Moore told me she would decorate the grave with flowers when she was a young girl. Doug Chaney said that Sgt. Tester’s wife, Bettie, is supposedly buried next to him with only a rock as a marker. Bonnie and I found a small rock to the left of Sgt. Tester’s grave marker. It was obscured with dirt and leaves. In front of the rock marker the ground was sunk. Obviously that is Bettie Tester’s grave. She passed away about 1915. At one time, Sgt. Tester and Bettie owned the land on which they are buried. Sgt. Tester served with the Union Cavalry from November 29, 1862 until March 24, 1864. He must have been wounded because he received a pension until his death in 1895. His wife, Bettie, applied and received a widow’s pension on January 2, 1896

Another relatively unknown Civil War veteran, Pleasant Dennis, is buried in the Covington Cemetery located on the Arthur farm near me. A few years ago a family member had him moved to Camp Nelson. There was a TV crew, veterans and others watching the ceremony of his removal. I remember reading about it in the newspaper. Two of the witnesses to the ceremony said they just scraped some dirt off the top of his grave and put it in boxes for reburial at Camp Nelson. One of the witnesses made the remark, “The old boy is still in the ground.” The original grave marker for Pleasant remains in the Covington Cemetery as well as his wife’s marker and a few others..

Some think of Memorial Day as the unofficial beginning of summer. It is a day for barbecues, picnics, family get-togethers and a time to decorate the graves of all who have passed away. Memorial Day has taken on the character of an extended family reunion. In my youth my father would drive us to the rural town of Port William, Ohio. They would have a parade through the town. I can still see my cousin, Karl Dale, marching with the local school band and playing his trumpet. After the parade we would share a common meal with family before visiting the cemetery where many of my family have been laid to rest. Those were good times in my life. Unfortunately, many of my relatives that shared those days with me are now resting in that same Port William Cemetery.

Bonnie and I visit the cemeteries at West Irvine and in Richmond where our parents, grandparents and others are buried on 3 occasions each year—fall, Christmas and spring. Flowers of the season are placed at each grave. We talk to our relatives to reassure them that they are not forgotten. In one of his famous Memorial Day speeches former Civil War Veteran and U.S. Justice Oliver Wendell Holmes, Jr. said, “On this holiday when we decorate their graves the dead come back and live with us.”

There is one Vietnam veteran that I have been carrying around in my subconscious memory for nearly 50 years now. I do not know his name, rank or what outfit with which he served. I call him my personal Unknown Soldier. I was CQ (Command of Quarters) runner for my company (66th Engineers) when I was in ‘Nam. During rocket attacks everybody else in the company hunkered down in the sandbagged bunkers while I got to run around in the open. I had to search the company area for any wounded or casualties. After this particular 122 mm rocket attack I came upon the body of a soldier who had been shredded by a rocket. His remains looked like a pile of hamburger. He must have been killed instantly. I

went back immediately to the CQ to report this casualty and then returned to the downed soldier. By the time I returned, the Chaplain and another soldier was giving the dead man his last rites. The vision of our Chaplain kneeling over that soldier has been with me all these years. The soldier that was killed was not with our outfit. Most of our company never knew we had a casualty that night. He was a transient who was staying overnight in one of our guest tents. It appeared that he was running for the nearby ditch for cover when the rocket hit. The rocket landed about 200 feet from my barracks and was probably the one that bounced me out of my bunk that night. If the rocket had fallen a little short I could have been the casualty. My Unknown Soldier was simply in the wrong place at the wrong time. On the aerial view I have of our company area I could show you the exact spot where he was killed. Many times I have wondered who he was. Where was he from? Was he 19 years old like me? What dreams did he have for his life? I have always wanted to contact his family to tell them that he never suffered and show them where he was killed. It may bring some comfort to them. I have tried searching the Vietnam Wall which lists casualties by date, but with no success. There were hundreds killed on that date. This Memorial Day I will mentally plant an American flag next to my memory of him.

Many veterans carry far worse memories than mine of their war experiences. They too would like some closure but peace never seems to come. Keep all our veterans in your thoughts and prayers this Memorial Day (or Decoration Day?).



This is the marble grave marker for Sgt. Jacob O. Tester. The elements are eating away at the marble and the lettering will soon be illegible. The marker states, “Sgt Tester, Co. ?, 14th KY CAV”. There are no dates on the marker.

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Julia Centers, 58



Julia Centers, 58, wife of Danny Centers of Kissey Branch in Irvine died Tuesday, May 12, 2015 at her residence with her family by her side. She was a housewife and a member of the Kingdom Hall Jehovah Witness. She is survived by her husband Danny Centers of Irvine; two sons, Aaron Centers of Bardstown; four grandchildren; two great grandchildren; four brothers, Dale Mullins of Irvine, Garner Mullins of Stanton, Delbert Mullins of Stanton, and John Mullins of Houston, Texas; four sisters, Beverly Rose of Irvine, Barbara Rogers of Irvine, Helen Pittman of Ocala, Florida and Arlene Bellamy of Stanton. She was preceded in death by her parents Elmer and Gertrude Mullins; two brothers, Kendall Mullins and Arnold Clay Mullins; two sisters, Anna Blakey and Velda May Mullins. A memorial service was held Saturday, May 16, 2015 at the Kingdom Hall Jehovah Witness in Irvine. Grayson Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Chester Dale Harrison, 54

Chester Dale Harrison, 54, died Saturday, May 9, 2015. Mr. Harrison was a native of Estill County, a son of the late Adam and Helen West Harrison. He was a construction worker and horse farm worker. He was of the Christian Faith. He was a member of the American Legion Post 79, and a member of the Sons of American Legion. He was preceded in death by his sisters, Marelen Thomas, and Mae Dawes.

Survivors include his companion, Evelyn Henry; his son, Adam Wade Harrison; step-son, Michael Henry; his daughters, Clarissa and April Harrison; his brothers, David and wife, Joy Harrison, Wayne and wife, Bonnie Harrison, Charlie and wife, Rhonda Harrison; his sisters, Lucille and husband, Cebert Wiseman, Lorene and husband, Paul Gentry, Linda Schooler, Janet and husband, Rick Schooler, and Molly Berryman; five granddaughters; one grandson; several nieces and nephews; and a special friend Gary Pike.

Services were held Wednesday, May 13, 2015 at the Lewis Funeral Home with Bro. Glendon Woosley officiating. Burial in the White Oak Cemetery. Pallbearers were Gary Pike, Kim Harrison, Bobby Gentry, Ed Tipton, Pleas McIntosh, and Bill Tucker. Honorary pallbearers were Paul Ray Thomas and Steve Rison.

Floyd Cletus Harrison, 80

Floyd Cletus Harrison, 80, of Doe Creek Rd. in Irvine, died Sunday, May 17, at his home following a long illness. He was born January 28, 1935 in Estill County, the son of the late Vernon and Rebecca Jane Rawlins Harrison. He retired as a machinist with Rockwell and had lived in Estill County all of his life. He was a member of the South Irvine Christian Church and of the Masonic Lodge. He was preceded in death by his wife of 50 years, Betsy Kirby Harrison.

He is survived by two daughters, Rebecca McGee-Parvin and husband, Wayne, of Irvine, and Ginger Perkins and husband, Steve, of Irvine; a son, John Kim Harrison and wife, Traci, of Irvine; two sisters: Ruby Hunt and husband, Harold, of Irvine, and Leecita Powell of Ohio; two sisters-in-Law, Judy Arvin and husband, Butch, of Irvine, and Johnetta Whalen and huband, Mike, of Irvine; six grandchildren; seven great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by several brothers, sisters, and one great grandson, Trenton Blake Harrison.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, May 20 at the Warren F. Toler Funeral Home Chapel by Bro. Glendon Mayes. Masonic Rites were also held. In lieu of flowers, donations are suggested to the American Diabetes Association.

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Amee Nicole Newton, 26

Amee Nicole Newton, 26, of Macedonia Road in Irvine died Monday, May 11, 2015, at the Marcum & Wallace Memorial Hospital. She was born September 7, 1988 in Lexington, KY and was the daughter of Odell Newton and Wanda Mae Estes. She was a homemaker and had lived in Estill County all of her life.

She is survived by her father, Odell Newton of Estill County; her mother, Wanda Mae Estes of Estill County; her son, Kaden Joe Henry of Estill County; two sisters, Ella Mae Gordon and Crystal Gayle Taylor, both of Estill County.

Funeral services were conducted Friday, May 15, at the Warren F. Toler Funeral Home Chapel by Bro. Alfred Webb. Burial at the Cane Springs Cemetery. Pallbearers were Phillip Stevens, Darron Newman, Dalton Hoover, Todd Clark, Shane Young, Robbie Young, Brian Joe Henry, Kaden Joe Henry and Jake Stevens. Honorary Pallbearer was Michael Stevens.

Gustava Richardson, 72

Gustava Richardson, 72, of Barnes Mountain Road in Irvine died Tuesday, May 12, 2015, at the Good Samaritan Hospital after a long illness. She was born July 19, 1942 in Estill County and was the daughter of the late Jacob and Mandy Mae McKinney Estes. She was a homemaker and had lived in Estill County all of her life. She was preceded in death by her husband, Lewis Richardson.

She is survived by a daughter, Joyce Sharon Brinegar of Estill County; four sons, Lewis Byron Richardson of Estill County, Glenn Darron Richardson of Estill County, James Myron Richardson of Estill County, and Thomas Aaron Richardson of Estill County; three granddaughters; one grandson; great granddaughters; three great grandsons; several step-grandchildren and step-great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by two sons; an infant son and Timothy Farron Richardson; and several brothers and sisters.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday, May 16, at the Warren F. Toler Funeral Home Chapel by Bro. Beverly Arvin. Burial at the Estes Cemetery. Pallbearers were Asa Barnes, Jacob Estes, Robert Lewis Brinegar, Brian Jacques, Mike Mainous and Bruce Tipton.

Robert Lee Tucker, III, 34

Robert Lee Tucker, III, 34, of Turpin Ridge Road in Irvine died Friday, May 15, 2015, at the Baptist Health Lexington following a long illness. He was born March 23, 1981 in Madison County and was the son of Robert Lee Tucker, Jr. He was a former Hardee's employee and attended the Baptist Church in Berea.

He is survived by his father, Robert Lee Tucker, Jr.; his grandmother, Nana Orlena Tucker of Estill County; and several aunts and uncles.

Graveside services were conducted Sunday, May 17, at the Tucker Cemetery with Bro. Beverly Arvin officiating.

Nicholas Ray Witt, 36

Nicholas Ray Witt, 36, of Manna Drive in Richmond died Saturday, May 9, 2015, at the Baptist Health Lexington. He was born June 5, 1978 in Madison County and was the son of Roger Ray and Jackie Lynn Barnes Witt. He was an employee of Bluegrass Plating.

He is survived by his parents, Roger Ray and Jackie Lynn Barnes Witt of Madison County; a daughter, Nikki Morgan Witt of Madison County; a son, Brody Ray Witt of Madison County; a brother, Brian Michael Witt of Madison County; a nephew, Lincoln Oliver Witt of Madison County; his girlfriend, Stephanie Thompson of Madison County.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, May 13 at the Warren F. Toler Funeral Home Chapel. Burial at the Beatty Place Cemetery. Pallbearers were Brian Witt, Rodney Norton, Danny L. Abney, Bill Wagnor, Tim Bishop, Eric Raider, Leonard Hardy and Donnie Barnes.

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Association of Mature Americans findings and facts

Ballot box demographics

The 2016 Presidential Election campaign cycle started early this time around and perhaps those of us most interested keeping tabs on candidates are the nation's older folk, reports the Association of Mature American Citizens.

Seniors have always been keen on their voting rights accounting for the lion's share of voter participation, particularly in recent federal elections. Individuals in their fifties and sixties have consistently turned out in blocs that make up more than 50% of the ballots cast in key elections. Those over 65 years of age have accounted for nearly two thirds of the vote in some elections over recent years.

There are a number of reasons that as people grow older the more focused they are on their political leadership, not the least of which is the desire to protect the government programs they paid for in their younger days. Issues dealing with things like Social Security and Medicare are critical to them.

Presidential Planes

The first president to have his own dedicated aircraft was Franklin Roosevelt, says the Association of Mature American Citizens. He used it only twice and it was not called Air Force One way back then. It had the nickname, Sacred Cow.

Harry Truman called his plane Independence after his hometown of Independence, MO. President Eisenhower continued using Independence but added a pair of Lockheed Super Constellations to the presidential fleet. He called them Columbine One and Two. It wasn't until 1962 that the official designation, Air Force One, was established for the aircraft whose principal passengers are U.S. presidents.

But, the first American president to take to the skies was Theodore Roosevelt on October 11, 1910, reports AMAC. Granted, Teddy was out of office at the time. It happened 18 months after he left office at an airstrip in Kinloch, a small town in Missouri.

A tale of two kiddies

It's rare, but it happens, says the Association of Mature American Citizens. Yes, AMAC, says it is possible for twins to have two different dads.

The condition is called heteropaternal superfecundation and it happens when two of the mother's eggs are fertilized separately during a single ovulation cycle. The result is a pair of fraternal twins with the same mother, but with different fathers.

Superfecundation has legal ramifications, as well. A mother recently sued a man she identified as the father of her twins for child support, but was granted support for only one of her two children. The Superior Court Judge who heard the case made his decision after DNA testing showed he was the father of the one twin but not the other.

Just how rare is heteropaternal superfecundation? ABC News reports that the phenomenon was first discovered in the 1970s and since then there have been only two other cases on record.

Our Sincere Appreciation



We the family of Daniel "Ethan" Stamper would like to thank our community for your prayers, thoughts and support you have shown our family during the tragic loss of our grandson and brother. The outpouring of compassion and love from this community is overwhelming.

First, a special thanks to Grayson Funeral Home, Clay City for the care and compassion of Ethan during our time of need. With God's help, the encouraging words of Bro. Buford Powell and the special music provided by the Praise Singers, we were provided the strength to make it through Ethan's service. Another special thanks to the Estill County teachers and staff, Calvary Baptist Church and Sandhill Christian Church providing our bereavement dinner.

Words cannot express all the appreciation of the monetary gifts that have been given us. Especially, since we have been face with many financial needs due to Aaron's illness.

A heartfelt thanks to the Estill County Class of 2015 for the love and support you have given us on behalf of Ethan.

May God bless each and every one who has helped us through this difficult time. Please continue to keep us in your prayers and thoughts. Only through God's grace, we will not only work through our loss, but be able to take care of Aaron.

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• Llyod and Nellie Estes to Rick Walling, \$10,000, real property located and situated in Estill County, Kentucky. More particularly described as Lot Number 5 and Lot Number 6 of the survey recorded in Plat Book 2 Page 58, containing 2.39

acres, more or less. Deed Book 303, page 109.

• Jimmy Doug and June McCreary to Charles and Misty Sipple, \$86,500, real property located and situated in Estill County, Kentucky. More particularly described as a tract of land located on Twin Creek Road, Irvine, Kentucky. Deed book 303, page 112.

• Traci Dean to Charlene and Daniel Abney, \$126,000, real property located and situated in Estill County, Kentucky. More particularly described as Lot Number 3 and Lot Number 7 of the Earl and Nancy Robbins Tract. Deed book 303, page 115.

• Raymond and Mary W. Carroll to Mikie and Anita Holliman, \$40,000, real property located and situated in Estill County, Kentucky. More particularly described and known as a certain house and Lot Number 7 in the Kirkland Addition to the city of Irvine. Deed book 303, page 120.

• Sharon and James M. Morris to Sonja

Estes Reece; Dennis Estes; David Odell Estes; Willis Ray Estes; and Walter Scott Estes, \$38,000, real property located and situated in Estill County, Kentucky. More particularly described as Lot Number 3 and Lot Number 4 in Block number 12 in the Lee's Addition to South Irvine. Deed book, page 128.

• Nora Jean Young to April Beard, in consideration for love and affection, real property located and situated in Estill County, Kentucky. More particularly described as two tracts, Tract 1, containing 2 acres, more or less, and Tract 2, containing 15 acres, more or less. Deed book 303, page 133.

District Civil Court

• Steve McGee and Charles Arvin vs. Linda Hackworth, \$1,100, claimed rent owed, seeking eviction.

• Renaissance Apartments vs. Dawn Noland, breach of rental contract, seeking eviction.

Circuit Civil Court

• Sheila Dixon Goodnight vs. Randall D. Goodnight, findings of facts, conclusions of law, and decree of dissolution of marriage.

• Brian Joe Henry vs. Crystal Hatton, seeking custody.

• Christopher Lawrence Winchester vs. Tonya Helen Winchester, separation agreement.

• Roetta Hackworth vs. Doris Chaney, order to proceed *in forma pauperis*.

• National Collegiate Master Student Loan Trust 1 vs. Lisa Powell, aka Lisa K. Powell, aka Lisa Kay Powell, \$16,611.86, claimed debt owed plus court costs and interest.

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Kiwanis ball park summer fun

More than 200 children will play baseball or softball at the Kiwanis ball fields this summer, including children from tee-ball age all the way up to 11 years old.

Look for more Kiwanis pictures on our Citizen Voice and Times Facebook page.

1. Aaron Coffey plays in the dirt while waiting for the ball to come his way.
2. Savannah Smith and Madi Rose scramble to reach the softball.
3. Kaitlyn Bledsoe smacks the ball.
4. Dellas Rose and son Kenny Dale Rose have a talk between innings.
5. Jessie Tuttle protects second base as Haylee Neal sneaks to second.
6. Zach Wiseman poses for a shot through the fence.

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Iconic drive-in set to close at end of season



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CALENDAR

Alcohol Anonymous
Alcoholics Anonymous meet every night, Monday through Sunday at 8 p.m. at 167 Broadway, Irvine. There are no dues or fees.

Al-Anon Meetings
The Al-Anon group will meet every Thursday at noon at West-Care. Al-Anon is a meeting for family members and friends of those with alcohol abuse problems. Call 723-0283 for more information.

Better Lifestyle, Healthier Aging
For centuries, we've known that the health of the brain and the body are connected. Join us to learn about research in the areas of diet and nutrition, exercise, cognitive activity and social engagement, and use hands-on tools to help you incorporate these recommendations into a plan for healthy aging. The program will take place at the Lexington Public Library, Tates Creek Branch located at 3628 Walden Drive on Wednesday, June 3 from 2 to 3 p.m. To register for this program, please call 1-800-272-3900. Registration is required.

Commodity Supplemental Food Program
The Commodity Supplemental Food Program (CSFP) is a monthly supplemental food package program for low-income elderly, age 60 and over. The Estill County Senior Center, local distributing agency for the CSFP, is currently accepting applications for this program. To apply, please provide the following documents: state-issued ID, proof of income for all members of the household and a current utility bill. Apply at the Estill County Senior Citizens Center, 100 Golden Court, Irvine. Please call Diane Riddell (606) 723-4787 for more information about the CSFP.

Estill County Historical Society
The 2015 Calendar is now available at the Museum on Saturdays between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. The Estill County Pictorial History, WW II Book, the School Book, and the two volumes of the Cemetery Books are still available.

Flag Disposal
Ever wonder what to do with a tattered United States Flag? Well, this year, once you have purchased your new flag, you can bring your old one to the Battle of Richmond Visitors Center to ensure it has a proper and respectful disposal. Located at 101 Battlefield Memorial Highway, the center will be open on Monday-Friday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., on Saturday from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m., and on Sunday from 2 to 4 p.m. Any questions? Call 859-624-0013.

Four Seasons Garden Club
The Four Seasons Garden Club's meeting will be Thursday, May 21, at 3:30 p.m. at the Monarch Butterfly Garden at West Irvine School. Members will have a work session to spruce up the garden in anticipation of the Monarch Butterflies that will be passing through our area this summer. The object of the club is to stimulate the knowledge and love of gardening; to aid in the protection of native trees, plants, and birds; and to promote cleanliness, beauty, and improvement of property in Estill County. New members are welcome to join the club which meets on the 3rd Thursday of each month. The Four Seasons Garden Club is a member of the National Council of State Garden Club, Inc.

Irvine Community Garden
With the cooperation of the City of Irvine and Irvine Municipal Utilities, a community garden spot will be developed on the Kentucky River behind the sewer treatment plant. Families will have a choice of either a 500 square feet or 1000 square feet plot.

CAMPS

Aldersgate Summer Camp
Lots of camps are filling up, but all of the Elementary, Jr. High and Sr. High Horse camps still have space. Grand Camps are very popular, but we have openings for your family. Specialty Camps, such as Elementary Basketball, Elementary Music, Art & Drama, Middle School Archery, Middle School Sports, Jr. High Princess and Jr. High Music, Art, Dance & Drama, Jr. High Man, Sr. High Sports and Sr. High Mission Camps also have openings available. Sr. High Archery is new to Aldersgate Camp this year. Jr. High Adventure 1 and 2, as well as Middle School Outpost Challenge Camp and Xtreme Adventure 1 and 2 have openings. Bring the whole family to camp and experience the fun together during Family Campout, June 27-29. Leisure Ministries Camp is a very special experience for rising 10th graders and older as they recreate Biblical narratives. Contact the Camp Office at 606-723-5078 or office@aldersgatecamp.org.

Cloverbud Camp
Camp Clover Bud will be on July 17-19 at the J.M. Feltner 4-H Camp in London for children ages 6-8. This camp is specifically designed for campers (and parents) who are not yet ready for a full week of a residential camping experience. The cost is \$90 which includes all meals, lodging, staff, supplies, t-shirt, and picture. Campers will rotate through each camp class, participate in evening activities, and participate in a free swim. Deadline for applications and fees is July 1.

Free Day Camp
The Methodist churches of Estill and Powell County have teamed up with Aldersgate Camp to provide a free one-day camp on Monday, June 1, from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. The camp is for rising

Registration and rules for the plots, as well as sign-up sheets, will be available at the Estill County Cooperative Extension Office. Call Chelsea Bicknell at 723-4557 or Mark Reese at 723-1275 for further details. There will be an on-site meeting scheduled for participants later.

Kiwanis Club of Irvine-Ravenna
The Kiwanis Club of Irvine-Ravenna will meet Thursday, May 21, at 5:30 p.m. at Michael's Restaurant. Donna Bosher's will speak about her recent trip to Japan. Donations made by the club in April went to Relay for Life, Estill Flo Party, and the care of the old Irvine cemetery on River Drive. Persons dedicated to improving the world, one child and one community, at a time are welcome to become members.

Lion's Club Pancake Breakfast
The Estill County Lions Club will host its 14th annual spring pancake breakfast on Saturday, May 23, from 7 to 11 a.m. at the First Christian Church on Main Street. Adult tickets are \$5 and children under 10 are \$3. The menu will include pancakes, scrambled eggs, bacon, sausage, coffee, juice, and milk.

Lions Club Trip
The Lions Club trip to Montgomery, Indiana is sold out. To get on the alternate list call Terry Williams at 723-5447.

Miss Estill County Contest
Starting on May 26, applications will be taken for: Miss Estill County Open Beauty Contest – Ages 16-21; Miss Estill County Open Teen Beauty Contest – Ages 13-15; Miss Estill County Pre-Teen Pageant (Closed) – Ages 8-12 All three pageants will be held on Monday night, June 29, 2015 at the Estill County Fairgrounds. Pageant entry deadline for all 3 pageants is Saturday, June 27, 2015. For more information or an application call Gina Flynn (606) 975-5851 or email Gina at gina.flynn@estill.kyschools.us. Applications can also be picked up at the Estill County Extension Office.

Memorial Day Service
There will be a special Memorial Day service at the Veteran's Memorial Park in Ravenna on Monday, May 25 at 11 a.m. All are cordially invited to come and show respect and appreciation to those who served our country.

RCP: Telling Estill County's Story
River City Players is hosting the first "Telling Estill County's Story" (TECS) story circle on May 28, at 1:30 p.m. in the Estill County Public Library community room. This session's story theme is Mountains – Rivers, Geological aspects. Come and share your stories and memories of this beautiful county we call home. Future story circle themes are Cultural Entertainment/ Gathering; Railroads – Transportation; how we made/make a living; and stories centered on wartime (WWII, Korean, Viet Nam). If you have limited mobility and would like to participate in our story/history gathering project, call Susan Hawkins at 606-723-5755.

RCP Membership Meeting
River City Players' membership meeting is scheduled for May 26, 2015 at 7 p.m. in the Estill County Public Library community room. Everyone in welcome, please mark your calendar and make plans to attend. We have lots of news about past accomplishments and plans for future activities to share.

CAMPS

third through sixth grade students. Lunch, as well as morning and afternoon snacks, will be provided. Limited transportation will be available at Cedar Grove, Clay City, Irvine, Jackson Chapel and Wisemantown United Methodist Churches. Call Mark Reese (723-1275), Tom Bonny (723-5694), Nancy Farmer (723-2524), or Kim Rose (663-5443). Activities will include field games working with farm animals, arts and crafts, Bible study, the clay wall, hiking to Buffalo and Sugar Camp Cave, swimming in the pool, and visiting and learning about Fitchburg Furnace. Enrollment is limited to first 75 kids.

4-H Camp
4-H summer camp will be on July 13-17 at J.M. Feltner 4-H Camp in London for campers ages 9-14. Campers do not have to be enrolled in a 4-H Club to attend summer camp. The cost is \$90 and includes at \$25 non-refundable application fee, lodging, meals, t-shirt, activities, and class fees. Scholarships are available and complete applications must be turned in by June 12 in order to be eligible. Classes include beginning swimming, advanced swimming, archery, basketball, camp media, canoeing, challenge course, cool foods, crafts, drama, fishing, flag football, GPS, high ropes/zip line, jewelry making, leadership, nature, photography, outdoor games, recreation, riflery, tie dye, survival skills, and robotics. For more information call Isaac at 723-4557.

RCP Summer Camp
River City Players' TECS project summer camp registration will be at Hardees on Richmond Road, Friday, May 22, from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. and May 30, 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. This tuition free camp is open to children and youth ages 7 to 18, and is limited to 40 campers. Pre-registration is required to participate.

CHURCH NEWS

Drip Rock Baptist Benefit Singing
The Drip Rock Baptist Church will have a benefit singing for Kynleigh on Saturday, May 23 at 6 p.m. Featured singers will be The Fugate Family Special. Kynleigh was born with half a heart. To find out more about Kynleigh or this event look at Drip Rock Baptist Church's facebook page.

Full Gospel Evangelistic Ministry Church
FGEMC welcomes special guest Wanda Osborne, on Sunday, May 24, at 11 a.m. The church is located at 400 Duck Wear Rd. on Rt. 1840 in Irvine. Pastor Larry Collins welcomes everyone. Call (606) 723-0343 for further information.

REUNIONS

Class of 1985 Reunion
The Estill County High School Class of 1985 reunion will be Saturday, July 25, at Gillum's in the Richmond Mall from 5 to 9 p.m. The cost of the reunion will be \$5 per single or \$10 per couple. There will no charge for children, if any attend. To help with the cost of the reunion, please mail payment and names to Rebecca Click at 260 Sandhill Road in Irvine, KY 40336 as soon as possible. For more information, check out our Facebook page Estill County High Class of 1985. We are also on Classmates.com and Alumniclass.com. If you have any other questions or want to help call 606-643-5569.

Mays Reunion
The Mays family reunion will be on Sunday, May 24, at 9 a.m. at the Estill County fair barn. There will be a potluck lunch. All family and friends are welcome.

Neal-Campbell Reunion
The Neal-Campbell family reunion will be on Saturday, May 23, at Chestnut Stand Cemetery for the families of the late Will and Sarah Elizabeth Neal and Art and Mattie Campbell. Lunch will be a potluck and start at 1 p.m. There will be singing and a silent auction. Family members should bring items for auction. For more information call Lucille Neal Harrison at 606-723-2246.

Due to Memorial Day the deadline for announcements will be Friday, May 23 at noon.

AND CHURCH

BAPTIST

BEECH GROVE BAPTIST Red Lick Rd., Rt. 3, 723-6745; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Pastor Marion Brewer

CALVARY BAPTIST 723-7187 or 2416; S.S. 9:45 & 11 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. 7 p.m.

COW CREEK BAPTIST Hwy. 52, Beattyville Rd., Ravenna; 723-6183; Harold J. Lahrner, Min.

DRIPROCK BAPTIST, Route 2004; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11:30 a.m. Wed. 7 p.m. 4th Saturday singing 6 p.m.

EASTER VALLEY BAPTIST Star Route, Irvine; Pastor, Michael Davis; S.S. 10am, W.S. 10:45am & 6pm.

EMMANUEL BAPTIST 3905 Richmond Rd.; Sherl Thomas, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m., Wed. 7 p.m.

FAITH BAPTIST, KY 52, 1 mile east of Estill-Lee county line. SS 10 a.m., Worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m., Wednesday 6:30 p.m. Pastor, Todd Blevins

FIRST BAPTIST 723-4573, 351 Broadway, 723-4173; Keith Willams, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m.

FRIENDSHIP BAPTIST Hudson Avenue and River Drive, 723-4816; Scott Rogers, min. S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. Wed. 6 p.m.

GREENBRIAR BAPTIST 6750 McKee Rd.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m. Pastor, Delmar McGee.

HARG BAPTIST Spout Springs Rd., 723-6747; Larry Neal, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. Wed. 7 p.m.

IVORY HILL BAPTIST 8315 Winchester Rd., Ted Barker, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. Wed. 7 p.m.

KNOB LICK BAPTIST CHURCH Knob Lick Rd., Fred Livingood, pastor; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m., Wed. 6 p.m.

MORRIS CREEK MISSIONARY BAPTIST Kevin Chaney, Pastor; S.S. 10 a.m., W.S. 10:45 a.m. & 6 p.m.

NEW BETHEL MISSIONARY BAPTIST S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 10:45 a.m. & 6p.m., Thurs. 6 p.m.

NEW BETHEL #1 BAPTIST CHURCH Barnes Mt.; Rev. Billy L. Stamper; W.S. Sunday 11 a.m.

OLD TIME BAPTIST Jerry Chaney Pastor; Sunday School 10:00 a.m.; Singing Service, Worship Service follows the singing.

PANOLA BAPTIST Marvin Neal Pastor; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wednesday service, 7 p.m.

PINE HILL BAPTIST Star-Route Bro. Dennis Williams, Min. S.S. 10 a.m., W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m., Wed. 6 p.m.

PROVIDENCE BAPTIST S.S. 9:45 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. 7 p.m., Kyle Knight pastor.

SALEM BAPTIST Spout Springs, 723-6683; Jerry Smith, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.

SOUTH IRVINE BAPTIST 1215 South Irvine Road, 723-8298; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. 7 p.m. Pastor, Donnie Burford.

THOMAS BAPTIST Route 2; Rick Kirby, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.; Wed. 7 pm. Phone 723-6809

WILLIAMS MEMORIAL BAPTIST 404 Poplar St., Ravenna, 723-5429; Pastor, Chris Winkler; S.S. 9:45 a.m.; W.S. 10:50 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. 6 p.m.

CATHOLIC

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BEAVER POND CHRISTIAN Glendon Mays, Min., S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Bible Study Wed. 6 p.m.

BETHEL CHRISTIAN Fox, KY 859-744-0277, Doyle Spry, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 5 p.m.

CORINTH CHRISTIAN Linville Dunaway, 723-3369. S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. 7 p.m.

CROOKED CREEK CHRISTIAN Leo Crowe, Min. S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH 270 Main St., Irvine 723-2924 S.S. 9:45 a.m.; W.S. 10:45 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. 6 p.m. Bro. Greg Humpert, Pastor.

MT. CARMEL CHRISTIAN 180 Furnace Jct., Ravenna, Min. Mark Pearson, 726-9342, church, cell phone 859-582-5015; S.S. 9:45 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. 6 p.m.

RAVENNA CHRISTIAN 7th & Elm; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m., Bible Study Wednesday, 7 p.m. Pastor Tony White

RICE STATION CHRISTIAN Rice Station Rd. 723-4791; Kirt Scott, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. 7 p.m.

REVER DRIVE CHRISTIAN 363 River Dr., 723-2553; Minister Paul Groves. S.S. 9:45 a.m. W.S. 10:45 am, 6:00 pm and Wed. 7:00 pm

SAND HILL CHRISTIAN 626-5862; Matt Vaught, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m.

SOUTH IRVINE CHRISTIAN 932 South Irvine Rd., 859-744-1693; Mike Chism, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. 7 p.m.

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CHURCH OF CHRIST

BROADWAY CHURCH OF CHRIST 262 Broadway, 859-369-4165; Bob Casey, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m., W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m., Wed 6 p.m.

COBHILL CHURCH OF CHRIST S.S. 10 a.m; W.S. 10:30 a.m. & 6 p.m.

SOUTH IRVINE CHURCH OF CHRIST 723-3707; Tony Belcher, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. 7 p.m.

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CHURCH OF GOD

FIRST CHURCH OF GOD Millers Creek 723-4749; Merle Travis, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. 7 p.m.

GUM SPRINGS CHURCH OF GOD Glenn Case, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11:15 a.m. & 6p.m.; Bible Study Wed. 7 p.m.

HARGETT FIRST CHURCH OF GOD Forrest Turpin, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday 7 p.m.

IRVINE CHURCH OF GOD OF PROPHECY 223 High St. S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 6:30 p.m. Wed. 7 p.m.

IRVINE FIRST CHURCH OF GOD 197 Broadway 723-6911; Stanley Hutchinson, Pastor; S.S. 9:45 a.m.; W.S. 10:45 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. 6:30 p.m. p.m.

RAVENNA CHURCH OF GOD 212 Third St. 723-2898 Willie Hargus Gordon, Min. Brad Brinegar, Youth Pastor; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 10:45 a.m. & 6:00 p.m. Wed. 7 p.m.

ROADSIDE MISSION CHURCH OF GOD Furnace Road, 723-4183; Henry Johnson, Pastor

WHITE OAK CHURCH OF GOD Rt. 4, 723-0562; Glyndon Woosley, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 10:45 a.m. & 6 p.m., Wed. 7 p.m.

METHODIST

CEDAR GROVE UNITED METHODIST Rt. 5, 859-986-3265; Greg McClellan, Pastor; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. 6 p.m.

IRVINE FREE METHODIST 113 Plum St. 606-531-0465; Rev. Chris Carlyle, Min.; S.S. 9:30 a.m.; W.S. 10:30 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. 6:30 p.m. Adult, Youth, Kids' Club.

IRVINE UNITED METHODIST 243 N. Main St. 723-3667; Rev. Don Hatton Min.; 723-2634 S.S. 9:30 a.m.; W.S. 10:45 a.m. & 6 p.m.

WISEMANTOWN UNITED METHODIST 1358 Wisemantown Rd., 723-5694; Pastor Greg McClellan, S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 5 p.m.; Wed., 7 p.m.

NAZARENE

IRVINE FIRST CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE, Broadway, Irvine Pastor Curt Napier, Sr.; SS 9:45 a.m., MW 10:45 a.m.; S.E. 6 p.m.; Wed., 7 p.m. 517-719-2238.

RAVENNA CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE, Main St., Ravenna Pastor: Rev. Rob Steinbrook, SS 10 a.m., MW 10:45 a.m. EW 6 p.m., Wed. 7 p.m. 723-4259.

OTHER

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CHRISTIAN WORSHIP CENTER Jim Bonny Pastor, Broadway, Irvine; 606-531-0102; S.S. 10 a.m. W.S. 10:45 am, Wednesdays at 7 p.m.

CRYSTAL HOLINESS CHURCH, Pastor Jerry Rose, Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Friday, 7 p.m.

FULL GOSPEL EVANGELISTIC MINISTRY CHURCH 1972 Winchester Road., Irvine; 606-723-0343; Pastor Larry Collins; Church service Sun. 11 a.m.; Wed. 7 p.m.

GREEN PASTURES WORSHIP CENTER 722 Broadway, Irvine; Doug Baker, Min.; Sun. 10:30 am., youth service Sun. 6 p.m., Wed. adult Bible study at 6:30 p.m. Phone 606-726-0510.

IRVINE APOSTOLIC CHURCH 823 River Dr. 723-1904; Pastor Ivan Smith; S.S. 10 a.m. Sun. 6 p.m., Wed. 7:30 p.m.

NEW BEGINNING FELLOWSHIP 813 Old Richmond Rd., 723-5612; Delvin Reece, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 10:45 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. Wed. 7 p.m.

NEW VISION FULL GOSPEL, 5th St., Ravenna, SS 10a.m., MW 11 a.m., Sun. 6pm, Wed. 7p.m. Pastor: Buford Powell

SOUTH IRVINE PENTECOSTAL CHURCH OF GOD Senior Pastor, Rev. Todd Hignite; Sun. 6 p.m. Tues. 7 p.m.

THE NEW LIFE APOSTOLIC CHURCH, (UPC) 2502 Richmond Rd. 723-4105; Ross Conley; S.S. 10 a.m. Sun. 6 p.m. Tues. 7:30 p.m.

OUTREACH CHURCH, Services Sunday, worship-11 a.m.; Thursday prayer meeting, 7 p.m.

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WAGERSVILLE COMMUNITY PENTECOSTAL CHURCH OF GOD Beverly T. Arvin, Min.; S.S. 10:30 a.m.; W.S. 7:30 p.m. Sun. 6 p.m.: Thurs./Sat.

LOWER RED LICK HOLINESS CHURCH Dwight Northern, Min.; Sun. 6:30 p.m.; Thurs. 7 p.m.

RESTORATION NOW MINISTRIES, 100 Tyler Lane, Irvine, Pastor, Veronica Lay; Sunday W.S. 11 a.m.; Wed. 7 p.m. 723-2449.

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By: Howard
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Logan's request was granted, and the tradition has been "kept up from year to year." First known as Decoration Day, the day eventually became a national holiday known as Memorial



Day to memorialize all deceased veterans who served their country. As time passed, the custom of the "strewing of flowers" to decorate graves gave way to the tradition of placing small American flags on the graves of veterans. To walk through a cemetery on Memorial Day and observe those little flags wafting in the May breeze is a deeply moving experience. It's a solemn reminder of the cost of the freedom we hold dear.

In time, Memorial Day took on a

larger meaning. It became a special day for families to visit cemeteries and lovingly decorate with flowers the graves of all deceased family members.

This year in a least two cemeteries---Lancaster Cemetery in Garrard County and Chestnut Grove Cemetery in Cumberland County---visitors may, or may not, have noted a phenomenon that could become a Memorial Day tradition.

In those cemeteries, small Christian flags were placed on the graves of deceased ministers and deceased wives of ministers. Those small flags wafting in the May breeze are reacquaintance of service those "veterans of the cross" rendered unselfishly for the common good of humanity. In a silent way, those little flags proclaim, "Your service is not forgotten. May you rest in peace."

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF: Dewey E. Cole, Administratrix: Dodie Cole, Date Apptd: 5-13-2015, Attorney: William Trude, 135 Dry Branch Rd, Irvine, KY 40336.

ESTATE OF: Stanley Tracy Jenkins, Co-Executors: Paula Jenkins and David Jenkins, Date Apptd: 5-11-2015, Attorney: Rodney Davis, 200 Main Street, PO Box 150, Irvine, KY 40336.

ESTATE OF: Daniel Ethan Taylor Stamper, Administrator: Jimmy Stamper, Date Apptd: 5-11-2015, Attorney: Teddy L. Flynt, PO Box 760 Salyersville, KY 41465.

ESTATE OF: Ricky Kelley, Administratrix: Tiffany Kelley, Date Apptd: 5-11-2015, Attorney: Rodney Davis, 200 Main Street, PO Box 150, Irvine, KY 40336.

ESTATE OF: Anna Kelley, Executrix: Tiffany Kelley, Date Apptd: 5-11-2015, Attorney: Rodney Davis, 200 Main Street, PO Box 150, Irvine, KY 40336.

ESTATE OF: Virginia L. Babb, Executrix: Kathy Yeary, 2230 Pitts Road, Ravenna, KY 40472, Date Apptd: 5-11-2015.

ESTATE OF: Sandra Davis, Executors: Jeremy Walker, 2375 Cow Creek Road, Ravenna, KY 40472, Date Apptd: 5-11-2015.

ESTATE OF: Elbert Burnam Cox, Administrator: Larry R. Cox, Date Apptd: 5-6-2014, Attorney: Karen Chrisman, 1026 Hanley Lane, Frankfort, KY 40601.

Notice is hereby given by the Estill District Court that administration has been granted in the estates listed above. All persons having claims against the same have six months from the date of appointment to file the same, properly prov-

en, with the respective representative.

Stephanie L. Brinegar, Clerk Estill District Court Irvine, KY 40336 (606)723-3970.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

ESTATE OF: Annie J. Banks, Administrator: Eric Lee Banks, 745 Crooked Creek Rd, Irvine, KY 40336, Date Apptd: 3-18-2013.

Notice is hereby given that final settlements have been filed in the above-listed estates. You have 30 days from the filing date of the settlement to file exceptions, properly proven, with the respective representative of the estate.

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Notice is hereby given that Larry Hagan, 7140 Hwy 52 W, Beattyville, KY 41311, has filed an application with the Energy & Environment Cabinet to construct a log cabin and septic system at Miller's Creek, Hwy 1571 about 4 miles east of Irvine, KY. GPS is N 37° 40' 5.1672", W 83° 52' 27.3396". Any comments or objections concerning this application shall be directed to Kentucky Division of Water, Surface Water Permit Branch, Flood Plain Management Section, 200 Fair Oak Lane, Frankfort, KY 40601. Phone 502-564-3410.

Public Notice Invitation for Residential Construction Bid Kentucky River Foothills Development Council, Inc.

Kentucky River Foothills Development Council, Inc. has acquired building sites in Estill County and Powell County. These sites will be used for construction of single family residential structures with Kentucky River Foothills Development Council, Inc. acting as the agent for potential homeowners. These homes measure 1102 and 1218 square feet. Kentucky River Foothills Development Council, Inc. has house plans that meet the requirements of Kentucky Housing Corporation that the potential homeowners have chosen to utilize for construction. The floor plans to be bid will be made available beginning May 21, 2015 from the offices of Kentucky River Foothills Development Council, Inc. located at 212 Tenth Ave., Clay City, KY 40312 and 111 Collins Street, Irvine, KY 40336.

A bid sheet for the contractor's cost for each of the floor plans and other costs associated with the home will be included in the packet. Any additional questions may be answered by contacting the following: Jimmy Stone, Kentucky River Foothills Development Council, Inc., P.O. Box 504, Clay City, KY 40312, (606)663-6904 or (606)723-0207. The hearing/sight impaired may call the Kentucky Relay Service at 1-800-247-2510. Kentucky River Foothills Development Council, Inc. has adopted Fair Housing Policies and promotes Equal Housing Opportunity.

Kentucky River Foothills Development Council, Inc. requests that interested contractors or builders respond for information beginning on May 21, 2015 through May 29, 2015. The bids will be due no later than 12:00 p.m. on Monday, June 1, 2015 at 212 Tenth Ave., Clay City, KY 40312.

Houses are to be complete "turn key". The Contractor will be responsible for any tap-on costs and this should be included in the final bid of each home. References will be checked. These houses will be inspected under Kentucky Housing Corporation requirements. The winning bid will go to the bidder that Kentucky River Foothills deems the most appropriate. Kentucky River Foothills Development Council has the right to reject any and all bids.

All contractors interested in participating in this program should provide copies of their liability and workmans comp insurance along with their bid. Contractors will be required to fill out a Contractors Application and sign a Debarment Form. Preferences will be shown to contractors who have experience working with state and federally funded affordable housing programs and the ability to adhere to Universal Design standards. The successful bidder as well as non-successful bidders will be notified by mail.

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PUBLICATION OF HEARING	
State of Michigan 6th Judicial Circuit - Family Division Oakland County	Case No. 15-830129-NA
<p>To: Brannen Lee Newton, father of Gideon Robert Newton In the matter of: Gideon Robert Newton</p> <p>A hearing regarding pretrial hearing will be conducted by the court on June 2, 2015 at 1:30 p.m. in the Oakland County Courthouse, 1200 North Telegraph, Pontiac, MI 48341, before Judge Cheryl A. Matthews. It is therefore ordered that Brannen Lee Newton personally appear before the court at the time and place stated above.</p> <p>The hearing may result in the child being placed in temporary custody of the court.</p>	

May 14, 2015

To Unknown Heirs and/or Spouses of: Carl Judd, Earl Judd, Ernest Judd, and Bessie Judd, and any other Unknown Defendants

Re: Estill Civil Action No. 15-CI-00016

There is a pending civil action in the Estill Circuit Court regarding a piece of property located in Estill County, and further described as follows:

A certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in the County of Estill and State of Kentucky and on the waters of Station Camp bounded as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the cedar at the lime stone cliff, thence with W.S. Whites line opposite his gate, thence a southerly course a strate (straight) line to a spotted oak and pine on top of the ridge, thence with the top of the ridge to a stake, thence with L.C. Templeton's line to a black oak, thence a strate (straight) line to the beginning.

As well as a piece of property located in Estill County, and further described as follows:

A certain tract or parcel of land containing 35.13 acres +/- as described on that certain plat, to which reference is hereby made for a more particular description, of record in Plat Cabinet 3, Slide 255. Also being the same property commonly known and referred to as the "Jack Mays Farm". Being a part of the same property conveyed to James Estill Preserve, Inc., by deed dated April 12, 1989, and of record in Deed Book 184, Page 209 records of the Estill County Court Clerk's Office. The transaction was approved by a corporate resolution dated October 23, 2014, by the Board of Directors of James Estill Preserve, Inc., and authorizing Christopher C. Calkins, chairman, to execute said deed on behalf of the corporation.

The Grantor herein only conveys its 2/3 interest in the property and specifically excludes any transfer of the oil, gas, mineral or other sub-surface rights as those have previously been excluded in the chain of title.

On January 22, 2015, I was appointed Warning Order Attorney by the Estill Circuit Court to notify the above-named person(s), of the pendency of this action. The above-named party(ies) will be considered summonsed within thirty (30) days from that date if s/he/they choose(s) to defend this action. I do not represent the Plaintiff as the Hon. Rodney Davis of Estill, Kentucky, is the attorney for the Plaintiff and may be reached at DAVIS LAW, P.S.C., 200 Main Street, PO Box 150, Irvine, KY 40336, (606)726-9991.

Please remember that, if you choose to defend the action for any reason, you must do so within fifty (50) days from May 14, 2015.

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Phone: (606) 723-2197

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Phone: (606) 723-2344

This report is designed to inform the public about the quality of water and services provided on a daily basis. Our commitment is to provide our customers with a safe, clean, and reliable supply of drinking water. We want to assure that we will continue to monitor, improve, and protect the water system and deliver a high quality product. Water is the most indispensable product in every home and we ask everyone to be conservative and help us in our efforts to protect the water source and the water system.

We at IMU use the Kentucky River as our source for water. We only take about 1.3 million gallons a day on average to supply 15,000 people with safe drinking water. Although we have a ample supply of water there is always room for conservation. There are two types of water sources, ground water and surface water. The Kentucky River is a surface water source. Like all water sources it is susceptible to pollutants, not only directly dumped in to it, but also those contaminants that can enter from creeks, carsts and caverns hundreds of yard away. We have developed a source water assessment which identifies all the areas with in a large radius of the rivers edge to help us determine what could be a potential hazard to our source of water. The Kentucky River is at moderate risk for hazards due to the pesticides, fertilizers and straight pipes in the area. We monitor closely for these types of hazards to maintain our high quality of safe drinking water. This Source Water Assessment is updated and checked on a regular basis and is available for review upon request at our office.

Drinking water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that water poses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects may be obtained by calling the Environmental Protection Agency's Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).

The sources of drinking water (both tap water and bottled water) include rivers, lakes, streams, ponds, reservoirs, springs, and wells. As water travels over the surface of the land or through the ground, it dissolves naturally occurring minerals and, in some cases, radioactive material, and may pick up substances resulting from the presence of animals or from human activity. Contaminants that may be present in source water include: Microbial contaminants, such as viruses and bacteria, (sewage plants, septic systems, livestock operations, or wildlife). Inorganic contaminants, such as salts and metals, (naturally occurring or from stormwater runoff, wastewater discharges, oil and gas production, mining, or farming). Pesticides and herbicides, (stormwater runoff, agriculture or residential uses). Organic chemical contaminants, including synthetic and volatile organic chemicals, (by-products of industrial processes and petroleum production, or from gas stations, stormwater runoff, or septic systems). Radioactive contaminants, (naturally occurring or from oil and gas production or mining activities).

In order to ensure that tap water is safe to drink, EPA prescribes regulations that limit the amount of certain contaminants in water provided by public water systems. FDA regulations establish limits for contaminants in bottled water to provide the same protection for public health.

Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immuno-compromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune system disorders, some elderly, and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. EPA/CDC guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by Cryptosporidium and other microbial contaminants are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).

Some or all of these definitions may be found in this report:

Information About Lead:

Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL) - the highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology.

Maximum Contaminant Level Goal (MCLG) - the level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety.

Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level (MRDL) - the highest level of a disinfectant allowed in drinking water. There is convincing evidence that addition of a disinfectant is necessary for control of microbial contaminants.

Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level Goal (MRDLG) - the level of a drinking water disinfectant below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MRDLGs do not reflect the benefits of the use of disinfectants to control microbial contaminants.

Below Detection Levels (BDL) - laboratory analysis indicates that the contaminant is not present.

Not Applicable (N/A) - does not apply.

Parts per million (ppm) - or milligrams per liter, (mg/L). One part per million corresponds to one minute in two years or a single penny in \$10,000.

Parts per billion (ppb) - or micrograms per liter, (µg/L). One part per billion corresponds to one minute in 2,000 years, or a single penny in \$10,000,000.

Parts per trillion (ppt) - one part per trillion corresponds to one minute in 2,000,000 years, or a single penny in \$10,000,000,000.

Parts per quadrillion (ppq) - one part per quadrillion corresponds to one minute in 2,000,000,000 years or one penny in \$10,000,000,000,000.

Picocuries per liter (pCi/L) - a measure of the radioactivity in water.

Millirems per year (mrem/yr) - measure of radiation absorbed by the body.

Nephelometric Turbidity Unit (NTU) - a measure of the clarity of water. Turbidity has no health effects. However, turbidity can provide a medium for microbial growth. Turbidity is monitored because it is a good indicator of the effectiveness of the filtration system.

Variances & Exemptions (V&E) - State or EPA permission not to meet an MCL or a treatment technique under certain conditions.

Action Level (AL) - the concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements that a water system shall follow.

Treatment Technique (TT) - a required process intended to reduce the level of a contaminant in drinking water.

Spanish (Español) Este informe contiene información muy importante sobre la calidad de su agua beber. Tradúzcalo o hable con alguien que lo entienda bien.

	Allowable Levels	Highest Single Measurement	Lowest Monthly %	Violation	Likely Source
Turbidity (NTU) TT	No more than 1 NTU*				
* Representative sample of filtered water	Less than 0.3 NTU in 95% of monthly samples	0.36	99	No	Soil runoff

Regulated Contaminant Test Results							
Contaminant [code] (units)	MCL	MCLG	Report Level	Range of Detection	Date of Sample	Violation	Likely Source of Contamination
Radioactive Contaminants							
Alpha emitters [4000] (pCi/L)	15	0	0.02	-1.57 to 1.61	Jun-13	No	Erosion of natural deposits
Combined radium	5	0	1.37	1.37 to 1.37	Feb-13	No	Erosion of natural deposits
Inorganic Contaminants							
Arsenic [1005] (ppb)	10	N/A	3.500	3.5 to 3.5	Mar-14	No	Erosion of natural deposits; runoff from orchards; runoff from glass and electronics production wastes
Barium [1010] (ppm)	2	2	0.021	0.021 to 0.021	Mar-14	No	Drilling wastes; metal refineries; erosion of natural deposits
Copper [1022] (ppm)	AL = 1.3	1.3	0.304 (90 th percentile)	0.0164 to 0.432	Aug-13	No	Corrosion of household plumbing systems
Fluoride [1025] (ppm)	4	4	1.02	0.82 to 1.22	Jul 2014	No	Water additive which promotes strong teeth
Nitrate [1040] (ppm)	10	10	0.300	0.1 to 0.3	Aug-14	No	Runoff from fertilizer use; leaching from septic tanks, sewage; erosion of natural deposits
Selenium [1045] (ppb)	50	50	1.900	1.9 to 1.9	Mar-14	No	Discharge from petroleum and metal refineries; erosion of natural deposits; discharge from mines
Disinfectants/Disinfection Byproducts and Precursors							
Total Organic Carbon (ppm) (measured as ppm, but reported as a ratio)	TT*	N/A	1.24 (lowest average)	1.00 to 1.53 (monthly ratios)	N/A	No	Naturally present in environment.
*Monthly ratio is the % TOC removal achieved to the % TOC removal required. Annual average of the monthly ratios must be 1.00 or greater for compliance.							
HAA (ppb) (all sites)	60	N/A	42 (system average)	5 to 60 (range of system sites)	N/A	No	Byproduct of drinking water disinfection
HAA (ppb) (IDSE) [Haloacetic acids]	IDSE (individual distribution system evaluation) is a study to determine future individual sites.			48 to 50 (range of individual sites)	IDSE initiated Nov-14	No	Byproduct of drinking water disinfection
HAA (ppb) [Haloacetic acids] (Individual Sites)	60	N/A	53 (locational average)	5 to 60 (range of individual sites)	N/A	No	Byproduct of drinking water disinfection
TTHM (ppb) (IDSE) [total trihalomethanes]	IDSE (individual distribution system evaluation) is a study to determine future individual sites.			61 to 64 (range of individual sites)	IDSE initiated Nov-14	No	Byproduct of drinking water disinfection
TTHM (ppb) (all sites) [total trihalomethanes]	80	N/A	47 (system average)	9 to 75 (range of system sites)	N/A	No	Byproduct of drinking water disinfection.
TTHM (ppb) [total trihalomethanes] (Individual Sites)	80	N/A	57 (locational average)	9 to 75 (range of individual sites)	N/A	No	Byproduct of drinking water disinfection.

Irvine Municipal Utilities received a letter of warning for failing to properly submit to the Department of environmental Protection the CCR for compliance period 07/01/2014

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

Irvine-Wisemantown Sewer Extension & Improvements Project

To all interested citizens of the City of Irvine, Kentucky:

The Kentucky Department for Local Government is accepting application material under the 2015 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program. The City of Irvine intends to seek funding for the expansion of the sewer collection system into the Wisemantown area and for improvements to the sewer collection system in West Irvine. The City will hold a public hearing prior to the submission of the application for CDBG funding. The public hearing will be held on Thursday, June 4, 2015 at 6:00 p.m. at Irvine City Hall, located at 101 Chesnut Street in Irvine, Kentucky. The purpose of this hearing is to obtain views on housing and community development needs, review proposed activities, review the proposed application, and solicit public comments. Technical assistance is available to help groups representing low and moderate income persons in developing proposals. The public is also invited to attend and comment on such issues as economic and environmental impacts, service areas, alternatives to the project, impacts of historical properties, impact to any identified endangered species or wetlands, impact to important farmland and other pertinent issues.

The following information concerning the CDBG program is available for public inspection at the Office of the Mayor during regular business hours:

- A. Amount of funds available and range of activities that may be undertaken.
- B. Estimated amounts of funds proposed to be used for activities benefiting persons of low and moderate income.
- C. Plans for minimizing displacement of persons as a result of activities associated with CDBG funds and plans for providing assistance to those persons to be actually displaced as a result of CDBG-funded activities, if applicable.
- D. Records regarding the past use of CDBG funds.
- E. A summary of other important program requirements.

Comments on Application

A copy of the CDBG application material will be on file at the Mayor's office for citizens' review and comment during regular business hours from May 28, 2015 through June 4, 2015.

Discrimination Clause

The City of Irvine does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age, religion or disability, and provides, upon request, reasonable accommodations, including auxiliary aids and services, to afford an individual with a disability an equal opportunity to participate in all services, programs and activities. Any persons requiring special needs assistance should contact the Office of the Mayor at 502-845-4159 at least 48 hours prior to the meeting. Deaf and hard of hearing may contact the City through the Kentucky Relay Service by Voice or TTY at 1-800-372-2907 or 502-573-2604.

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Commission for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing	1-800-372-2907	www.kcdhh.org
For Interpreter Directory		www.hcdhh.org/access/interpdir.html
State Relay TDD Number	1-800-648-6057	

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Choosing the right kayak for fishing and safety

by Lee McClellan
Assoc. Editor Kentucky Afield

FRANKFORT, Ky. -The first time I fished a stream out of a kayak, you may have heard the oaths I swore in Tennessee. It was a short, cockpit or sit-in style kayak. I had a hard time controlling its tippy tendencies.

After an hour or so, my back began to hurt trying to keep the boat in position to properly fish. I had little room to stow my rod and tackle. I eventually bought a personal pontoon boat for my stream fishing, forsaking a kayak because of this bad experience.

It wasn't the kayak's fault, however. It was mine. I was unaware of the differences in styles of kayaks.

I fished that day in a whitewater performance kayak, designed for quick maneuverability in intense situations such as fast water and strong currents. They are not for fishing. Fishing from one is like complaining about the difficulty of bass fishing from a cuddy cabin style boat.

The summer-like winds now blowing across Kentucky inspire thoughts of paddling a clear, cool stream. Many see kayaks strapped to the tops of vehicles or poking out the end of a pickup bed at this time of year, stirring a fever to finally buy their own kayak.

"The first question I ask is, 'Where are you going to paddle 51 percent of the time,'" said Nathan Depenbrock, co-owner of Canoe Kentucky, a canoe livery and retail shop along the banks of central Kentucky's famed Elkhorn Creek. "Do they plan to paddle flatwater on small lakes, moving water on streams, white water or just occasionally paddle with their family?"

Depenbrock then asks the potential buyer what they plan to do with the boat. Do they want mainly to fish, simple cruising, photography, birding or challenge rapids?

"They must also demo, or test drive, the boat before buying," he said. "They need to get in it and kick the tires. It is just like buying a car. And, just like vehicles, there are different grades of quality. You get what you pay for when buying a kayak."

For those who mainly plan to fish, a sit-on-top design is hard to beat. "We preach that comfort is the biggest thing for your boat," Depenbrock said. "You want your day of fishing to end when the fish quit biting, not because your back hurts."

Depenbrock suggests sit-on-top kayaks not only offer great comfort, but the most safety. "They are the most stable boats and the easiest to get in and out of," he said. "They are also easy to accessorize for fishing. They work well for just simple cruising, too."

Boat length is another important factor to consider. "In Kentucky, a 12-

a fully grown adult," he said. "They are okay for children, but you are better off with at least an 11-foot kayak."

A 13- or 14-foot kayak works well for slackwater paddling, but doesn't have the maneuverability to tackle flowing water. They are much harder to get onto the roof rack of a vehicle and too long to put in the bed of a pick-up, Depenbrock said.

The choice of paddle is important as well. Don't buy a nice kayak and then buy a cheap, poor performing paddle. "It is like buying a Corvette and putting retread tires on it," Depenbrock said. "Your paddle is as important as your

make a few thousand strokes in a day, so efficiency is extremely important," he said.

He also recommends getting a kayak with bright blades for those who plan to paddle where power boats operate.

"Kayaks become awfully little where there are power boats, they can easily get lost in the waves," Depenbrock said. "I would also recommend a flag for paddling in areas where power boats operate."

Kayakers should always wear a lifejacket or personal floatation device (PFD). "You must choose the right boat, paddle and lifejacket," Depenbrock said. "I much prefer a traditional lifejacket for anglers with foam floatation and a horse collar that holds your head up. With the inflatable belt packs, you have to slip it over your head after it inflates and that may be impossible in some situations."

Specially designed lifejackets for kayak anglers make a great choice. They keep you cool, have nice fold out pockets to hold a bag of soft plastic lures, hooks, pliers, jigs and other gear and still provide excellent floatation.

Don't do like I did and try to fish from a whitewater kayak. Select the proper boat, paddle and lifejacket. Years of great fishing and memories awaits you.

Author Lee McClellan is a nationally award-winning associate editor for Kentucky Afield magazine, the official publication of the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources. He is a life-long hunter and angler, with a passion for smallmouth bass fishing.

The Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources manages, regulates, enforces and promotes responsible use of all fish and wildlife species, their habitats, public wildlife areas and waterways for the benefit of those resources and for public enjoyment. Kentucky Fish and Wildlife is an agency of the Tourism, Arts and Heritage Cabinet. For more information on the department, visit our website at fw.ky.gov.



Photo submitted

Tim Slone, director of the information and education division of the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources, holds a smallmouth bass caught last week from central Kentucky's Elkhorn Creek while fishing from a sit-on-top kayak. This kayak style is the best choice for fishing a wide variety of waters ranging from small lakes to flowing rivers.

foot model is the one magical length, the single universal length," Depenbrock said. "An 11-foot model offers a little more maneuverability, but it is not as good as a 12-foot model."

Depenbrock said a 10-foot long kayak is not a good choice for an average adult. "That length boat is really unstable for

boat. It is the engine of your boat. You need the appropriate blade style and must consider the material the paddle is made of."

Depenbrock said the more rigidity and less weight in a paddle, the better. A rigid paddle is more efficient while a lighter paddle is less tiring. "You are going to

Elk hunt application deadline April 30

FRANKFORT – Elkhorn Creek in central Kentucky, the city of Elkton in Todd County and Elkhorn City in Pike County are modern day reminders of the elk that inhabited Kentucky when the pioneers arrived.

The elk disappeared from the state in the decades after the Civil War. In 1997, a landmark restoration effort began that re-established an elk herd in the state's scenic southeastern region and created one of the most sought-after hunting opportunities east of the Rocky Mountains.

"The herd is doing great," said Gabe Jenkins, deer and elk program coordinator with the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources. "There is plenty of opportunity for hunters."

Hunters looking for a chance at a Kentucky elk have until midnight (Eastern time) April 30 to enter this year's quota hunt drawing. Completing the online application at www.fw.ky.gov ahead of time is strongly encouraged to avoid the expected last-minute rush of applicants.

"This is a wonderful opportunity," Jenkins said. "Hunter success rates are high. It is easier than going out west and you have a nice, quality animal that makes excellent table fare."

Kentucky residents and those living out-of-state are eligible to apply for all four permit types, such as bull or cow firearms and bull or cow archery/crossbow permits. However, they can only be drawn for one. Each application costs \$10.

Kentucky Fish and Wildlife will issue 900 general quota hunt permits and 10 youth permits this year through a random computer

drawing conducted in early May by the Kentucky Commonwealth Office of Technology. Results will be posted online at www.fw.ky.gov within the first two weeks of May.

Based on last season's numbers, Kentucky residents have a 1 in 149 chance to be drawn for a bull firearm tag, while they have a 1 in 30 chance for a cow firearm tag. Residents applying for a bull archery/crossbow tag had a 1 in 86 chance. Those residents applying for a cow archery/crossbow tag had an excellent chance to be drawn at 1 in 14.

Kentucky's elk herd is the largest east of the Rocky Mountains and more than all the states east of the Mississippi River combined. The elk zone in southeast Kentucky covers 16 counties and more than 4 million acres.

Traditionally, the hunter success rate for bulls is greater than 80 percent during the firearms seasons and around 60 percent for the archery season. For cow elk, the archery success rate typically is about 50 percent while firearms hunters traditionally experience success more than 60 percent of the time.

"The hunt has definitely changed," Jenkins said. "You are no longer going out, shooting an elk and going home. You have to put your time and effort into this. Scout, scout and scout some more. When you think you've done enough scouting, go back. The time and effort will pay off when it is your time to hunt."

The season limit this year is 250 bulls and 650 cow elk. Kentucky Fish and Wildlife will issue 150 firearms permits and 100 archery/

crossbow permits for bulls; 390 firearms permits and 260 archery/crossbow permits for cow elk.

Hunters ages 15 and younger can apply for the youth-only quota hunt during the same application period as the general elk quota hunt drawing. They may also apply for the general quota elk hunt drawing, but cannot be drawn for both in the same year.

The youth-only option does not appear until the child's birthday is entered in the drawing application process. The youth permit is good during all seasons and is for either sex elk.

The proposed 2015-2016 hunting seasons for elk open in September and close in January 2016.

Bull elk firearms Hunt 1 opens Oct. 3 and closes Oct. 9 while bull elk firearms Hunt 2 opens Oct. 10 and closes Oct. 16.

Cow elk firearms Hunt 1 opens Dec. 12 and closes Dec. 18 and cow elk firearms Hunt 2 opens Jan. 2, 2016 and closes Jan 8. Bull elk archery season opens Sept. 19, 2015 and closes Jan. 18, 2016 while cow elk archery season opens Oct. 17, 2015 and closes Jan. 18, 2016. Bull elk crossbow season opens Sept. 26 and cow elk crossbow season opens Oct. 17, and both run through Dec. 25. Of note, hunters drawn for a bull or cow archery and crossbow permit may not hunt when an elk firearms season is open.

Check the 2015-2016 Kentucky Hunting and Trapping Guide for more details on elk hunting. This guide will be available in July. You may also visit the Kentucky Fish and Wildlife website at www.fw.ky.gov.

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Top students recognize teachers who made a difference

The top 21 students of the Class of 2015 each chose a teacher to recognize for making a difference in their lives as students in Estill County.

“This is my absolute favorite event of the year,” said Estill County High School Principal Blain Click. “These students are the best of the best.”

“We don’t tell them what to say,” he said, but the students were given one to five minutes to speak from their hearts.

Comments ranged from outrageous to heartwarming. After Austin Blackwell revealed his pick as Andrea Banks, she came to the podium to accept her award.

“When I got my letter in the mail, I was scared. This is the class that nicknamed me Satan,” she said with a laugh.

“Andrew Farmer caught me outside of class and said ‘You know why it’s so hot in your room... Satan is close to hell.’”

Gage Dixon was full of jokes about Mr. Horn at the banquet, but in the end he concluded on a more serious note.

“In reality, you try to be a friend,” Dixon said. “I’m proud to call you a teacher that changed my life.”

Two students honored their mothers, who are teachers both inside the classroom and out. Andrew Farmer paid tribute to Amy Farmer, and Bethany Hall recognized Amy Hall as the teacher who has made the biggest difference in her life.



Andrea Banks and Austin Blackwell



Danny Wood and Hannah Bottorff



Debbie Anders and Kenlie Chandler



Jimmy Bonny and Caleb Click



Kayla Conrad and Jill Barnett



Greg Horn and Gage Dixon



Amy Farmer and Andrew Farmer



Lynn Miller and Whitney Ferrell



Lynette Ballard and Kennedy Flynn



Barbara Brandenburg and Mikaela Garber



Amy Hall and Bethany Hall



Tonya Beard and Jocelyn Hodges



Melissa Gross and Paige Horn



Jeremy Simpson and Kaylee Isfort

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Rena Wainscott and Brandon McKinney



Mickey Tucker and Abby Reed



Kaisee Riddell and Terry Edwards



Sherry Murphy and Jordyn Rose



Christian Tipton and Sara Goosey



Carolyn Perkins and Andrea Webb



Elizabeth Hughes and Jay Winkler



Margaret Wood and Lynette Ballard were among the teachers and parents attending the banquet on Wednesday night.



Photos by Marla Marrs



In Principal Blain Click's opening statement, he said, "These students are the best of the best."